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veryone what they most preferred.'

"Umph!" commented Major Lee.

one meal out of the can.

Siekness Due to Fruit.

Lee Cross-Examined.

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Court of Beef Experts Refuses to Hear Story of Rundas of Third Nebraska,

UNIFORM NOT ENOUGH IDENTIFICATION

### This Being a Particular Point with the Presiding Officer of the Court the Soldier Witness is Rejected Off-Hand.

WASHINGTON, March 4 .- The beef court of inquiry wound up its week's work with of the canned beef after reaching Ports a half day's session today, having exhausted its list of witnesses now on hand. There may be some witnesses at the Monday session, but the court will start for Chicago early next week, probably on Tues-

day or Wednesday. nissary department, who had supplied the Just before the close of the session today Seventh army corps with refrigerator beel a volunteer witness presented himself, but while at Jacksonville, said he had never re was not accepted. He wore an army uniceived a complaint. The meat had been form and said his name was Frank Rundas, rigidly inspected and showed no evidence late of the Third Nebraska, Bryan's regiof cuts or punctures or anything else that ment, and that he had recently been honmight give rise to the suspicion that it had orably discharged from the service and been chemically treated. At Jacksonville he was on his way home. His story was, in had issued a general circular to the Seventh brief, that he had served in the company army corps calling attention to the fact that kitchen with his command in Jacksonville, beef or vegetables furnished and not comand that during a long period when the ing up to specifications were to be returned men were living on refrigerated beef there. to the commissary officers issuing them, was so much intestinal trouble among the even if the defect were not discovered until men that the issue of this meat was stopped. the food reached the company camp,

At another time he got hold of some re-frigerator meat in the kitchen that was of such a peculiar color that the attention

of the company officers was called to it, and developed the fact that there had at lars of state money all through the year The surgeon in charge examined it, so times been complaints as to the beef, and 1897. The report also goes into detail as Rundas alleged, and remarked that the meat that in one case 800 pounds of beef had to the matter of fees reported by the inwas "all right, but had been prepared to been condemned. Witness said he had three send to Porto Rico, and since it had been official complaints of the beef at Jackson-

issued the men had as well use it." ville. Doesn't Want Rundas.

"I understood you to say," said Major The meat was cooked, but all the men who ate it were made sick. The inference drawn was that this was some of the same Porto Rico beef that Dr. Riley had ana-Und end divertication in the structure of the same Divertication of the same of the sam

RUSTLERS TAKE A RESPITE HOXIE FILES HIS ANSWER imount, \$53,011.10; city mortgages filed, 10; amount, \$6,453.21, city mortgages released. 21; amount, \$17,825.58; chattel mortgages filed, 155; amount, \$22,155.25; chattel mort-Superintendent of Reform School Sets Forth gages released, 114; amount, \$29,731.00. Legislators and Political Workers Go Home for a Brief R st. His Defense. PROVISIONS OF THE GAME LAW Text of the Alexander Bill, Recently DENIES GOVERNOR'S RIGHT TO REMOVE HIM Passed, and Which Now Awalts. the Governor's Signature.

Claims that He Can Re Pat Out of Office Only "For Cause"-Loeal Happenings at Lincoln. most of the letters being addressed to the secretary of state. There is now a perfect flood of letters asking about the provisions

LINCOLN, March 4 .- (Special.) -- Superinof the Alexander bill, which has just been tendent Hoxle of the Kearney Reform school sent to the governor for his approval. The has filed his answer in the case in which full text of the new game law is as folhe denied the right of John C. Sprecher to lows:

take charge of the institution. Hoxle Section 1-That section \$5b be amended to read as follows: claims that his own appointment was made It shall be unlawful for any persons to kill rarily closed. without limitation, that he can be removed

only "for cause," that he has a letter from the governor dated January 18 of the present year confirming him in the position; that the appointment of Sprecher was made while the senate was in session and was not confirmed by that body; and, finally, that the law purported to have been named by the legislature of 1807 putting the ap-The evidence is clear that the bill referred to did not pass, and that in reality

the appointing power never was taken out each of such birds so killed and shall on conof the hands of the state board. If the case viction be fined \$5 for each of such birds enshould be won on these grounds Hoxie could hold on until removed for cause by the state board. A half interest in the Richards property

at the corner of Eleventh and O streets has time of the year, by the aid or use of any been purchased by Joel N. Cornish of swivel, punt gun, big gun (so-called) or any

Some purchased by Joel N. Cornian of swivel, punt gun, big gun (so-called) or any Omaha, the consideration being \$14,000. This is the location where the Richards block was destroyed by fire last April. The loca-tion is considered the best in the city and work is to begin immediately on a five-story office building with storerooms on the first used for the waters, bays, rivers, wild fract from the store of Na Frank McMillan, a roomer in the Ledwith Louis D. Hunter of the Sixth Massachublock, was found dead in his room this etts and regimental commissary while in morning. He had been suffering with the Porto Rico, said the men ate a large amount

grip for several days, but was not known of native fruit and bananas-raw or cookedto be seriously ill. The dead body was which became almost a staple article of found against the door on the inside of the food. Probably 2 per cent of the sickness room. McMillan was little known here. He was due to fruit. Cross-examined, witness has relatives at Salem, 111. said the men did not use over 5 per cent Charles Tracy, ex-convict, is in jail on the charge of having made a vicious assault on Rico. They traded the rest to the native

woman named Maggie Mitchell. He was storekeepers. On the march he had seen living with the woman and tried to make many men throw away the beef after making her give him some money. On her refusal he attacked her with a knife. The Mitchell Major George W. Ruthers of the comwoman left town for Omaha, but has prom-

# laed to come back and prosecute Tracy. FEES UF AUDITOR'S OFFICE

Expert's Report Substantiates the Showing Made by The Bee During the Campaign.

LINCOLN, March 4 .- (Special Telegram.) -J. A. Abbott, the expert who has been going over the fee books in the auditor's office for the legislative committee, has completed his report, and will file it Monday. It will completely substantiate the showing made in The Bee during the campaign that

Major Lee took up the cross-examination the auditor withheld several thousand dolsurance examiners. John Simpson, the nephew of the auditor, who has absented himself every time he was wanted as a witness, has again been

HISCOX IS FOUND NOT GUILTY.

Jury Decides that He is Not Impli-

SENATORIAL SITUATION BECOMES QUIET Men Close to Thompson Assert that LINCOLN, March 4 .- (Special.) - At all He Has Withdrawn in Earnesttimes of the year there is a great deal of Senators Allen and Thurse inquiry about the game laws of the state. ton Expected.

LINCOLN, March 4 .- (Special Telegram.) -The senatorial situation today is in statu puo. The reason is that nearly all, legis-

ators and workers, have deserted the city or over Sunday, and the headquarters of he different candidates have been tempo-

Viewing the events of yesterday and last In shift goose, or brant, or any wild mai-lard duck, wood duck, teal duck, shoveler or, spoon-bill duck, canvastack duck, widgeon or bald pate duck, gadwall or gray parent that the opposition to Hayward is duck, dusky or black duck, buffle headed or butter-ball duck, pin or sprig-tail duck, ruddy or turkey-tail duck, between the first with the plan of finally combining them on with the plan of finally combining them on some candidate whose exact identity is not

day of May and the first day of September of each year and it shall be unlawful for by the legislature of 1807 putting the ap-pointing power in the hands of the governor really never passed the legislature and was one of the jobiot of bills put on the statury books by the clerks of the reform session. yet disclosed. The story that Mr. Thomp-Just as little belief is put in the story that said birds, between said dates of any year or at night, shall be deemed guilty of a mis-Mr. Thompson's withdrawal is for the time only and that he will reappear in the lists after the forces have become scattered

Men who are close to Thompson, and who snared, trapped or netted at any time of the ought to know, insist that he has withdrawn year, Sec. 2-That section 85b be amended to n earnest, and while he may continue to steld an influence over his supporters, he vill not allow them to vote for him fur

It shall be unlawful for any person at any her. Some little talk has been occasioned h

CADETSHIP he expectation that Senators Thurston ar Allen would be here the first of the week. Opinion is divided as to the possible effect heir personal influence would have on the already complicated situation. Those who nave expressed themselves, however, pro ess to believe that Senator Thurston will

RESISTS THE LEGISLATURE

#### Gridley of the Olympia, with D. N. Lebreton, trandson of Commodore McDougall, as alswer Questions.

GUTHRIE, Okla., March 4 .- The legisla ive investigation committee today subpoened Governor Batnes to come before it to estify. He did not appear nor answer the islature, and says all communications shall be by message. He takes the position that he legislature can no more subposna him than he can it; that he is not subject to egislative subpoena.

COWBOYS SETTLE A GRUDGE John Bartey and Thomas Palmer En-

gage in Informal Duel and Both Are Dead.

DALLAS, Tex., March 4 .- An old grudg etween cowboys was settled with pistols vesterday at Childress, in Texas Panhandle. John Bailey and Thomas Palmer were the principals in an informal duel, and both are dead. The men met in a saloon and,

after passing a few words, opened fire. DEATH RECORD.

Patriarch of Monona County.

ONAWA, Ia., March 4 .- (Special.)-Lar-

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Fort Smith & Western Rallroad company to construct a railroad through the Choe-FOR DEIGNAN taw and Creek nations in the Indian terri-Iowa Boy Who Sailed with Hobson on the Merrimne is Re-

ory, ratifying an agreement with the lower Brule and Rosebud Indians in South Dakota.

LIST OF FIVE MAJOR GENERALS,

Limitations of Army Bill Make Close Selection Necessary. WASHINGTON, March 4 .- The list of five

officers who are likely to be retained in the grade of major general of volunteers is: General Otis, in command at Manila; General Lawton, about to arrive at that place Osborne Deignan, one of the Merrimac and take charge of the active military opera. ions; General Shafter, in command of the P. V. Gridley, son of the late Captain Department of California: General Fitzhugh Lee, and probably General Wilson, in Cuba, Owing to the severe limitations imposed I. C. Bagley, brother of the late Ensign

by the army reorganization hill the War de-Bagley, the first American naval officer partment will find itself unable to bestow major general's commission on such a killed in the war, with H. C. Beckwith, son man as General Henry, now in command of Gustave Bushee, grandson of the late Adthe entire island of Porto Rico. niral Worden, with R. G. Gatewood as al-

#### Agent at San Carlos Agency,

WASHINGTON, March 4 .-- W. J. Nichol-Alexander Thackra, grandson of the late on, captain of the Seventh cavalry, has-Ioneral Sherman, with F. V. McNair, son of been detailed as acting Indian agent at the San Carlos agency, Ariz., relieving Captain Nixon W. Elmer, son of the late Captain Henry P. Ritzius, Twenty-fifth infantry. limer, with Percival C. Warton as alternate.

### Barrows is Not Confirmed.

The last named was appointed on the WASHINGTON, March 4 .- The nomina-Being given the privilege of appointing on of Representative Barrows of Masdso a cadet from the District of Columbia. achusetts to be librarian of congress falled of confirmation, both Massachusetts senators the president named R. R. Wallace, son of ommodore Wallace, with Rufus Saxton opposing him. Chompson, grandson of the late General Sax-



WORK ACCOMPLISHED BY HOUSE. Missouri and Nebraska Boundary Line is the Cause of a Continued Passes 1,636 Bills and Resolutions Contest.

WASHINGTON, March 4 .- The house o JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., March 4 .- (Spcpresenatives of the present congress has al Telegram.)-Atchison county, Missouri, assed 1.636 bills and resolutions, against and Nemaha county, Nebraska, have been 1.200 by the Fifty-fourth, 951 by the Fiftyquarreling for thirty years over the possesthird and 892 by the Fifty-second consion of a tract of land known as McClasock's gresses, respectively. The work of the Island that came into existence in 1867 ten for its three sessions appears as a new ough a break of the Missouri river. This

island is now on the Missouri side of the

river, but Nebraska still claims it. The

land that was never overflowed belongs to

Nebraska according to the laws governing

riparian rights, but who controls the old

channel is the question. The old riverbed

grows the biggest corn in the country and is

ounted as the best of farm lands. Both

ounties have fought over the taxes on this

land and both have had trouble with crim-

inals who hide there. To settle these

problems Representative Hall bas intro-

duced a bill to appropriate \$5,000 to pay the

expenses of a suit in the federal courts to

settle the boundary line question for all

WASHINGTON, March 4 .- The presiden wild fowl resort within the state of Ne-braska, any wild goose, or brant, or any wild his afternoon appointed the cadets at the iot care to take a hand in the fight, bu naval academy who were provided for by will pursue the policy of leaving the elespecial enactment. In each case he name tion of his colleague to the free choice of n alternate to step into the place in case his party as represented through the men 1 of the failure of the principal. The names elected to the legislature. re us follows:

Governor Barnes of Oklahoma Re fuses to Be Subpoenned to An-

its, his or their officers, agents, servants cr employes, to sell, expose for sale, or to have which makes him co-ordinate with the leg

mallard duck, wood duck, teal duck, shoveler or spoon-bill duck, canvasback luck, redbead duck, blue-bill or scaup duck, widgeon or bald-pate duck, gadwall or gray duck, dusky or black duck, buffle-headed or butterball duck, pin or sprig-tail duck, ruddy o turkey-tail duck, or to destroy or distur the eggs of any of the birds above nam and any person offending against any of th provisions of this section shall be fined i

any sum not less than \$5 nor more than \$20 for each offense, or be imprisoned in the county jail not more than thirty day Sec. 3-That section 86d be amended to read as follows: It shall be unlawful for any corporation

and as follows:

mpany, association, person or persons, or in its, his or their possession or control, any wild elk, deer, or antelope, between the first day of January and the first day of November in any year, or to sell, or expose for sale, or to have in its, his or their poisession or control, any ruffled grouse or pheasant,

or control, any rulled grouse or pheasant, pinnated grouse or prairie chicken, sharp-tailed grouse, dusky grouse or any other grouse between the first day of January and the first day of September of any year, or to sell, expose for sale, or to have in its, his or their possession or control, any quail or wild composed for selling of January and the first day of September of any year, or to sell, expose for sale, or to have in its, his or their possession or control, any quail or wild composed for selling of January and the first day of September of any year, or to sell expose for sale, or to have in its, his or their possession or control, any quail or wild composed for selling of January and the first day of September of any year. Or to the selling of January and the state government. The state auditor was recently arrested for refusal to testify. turkey, between the first day of January and the first day of November in any year, or to sell or expose for sale, or to have in its, his or their possession or control, any its, his or their possession or control, any wild goose, brant or any wild mailard duck wood duck, teal duck, shoveler, or spoon bill duck, blue-bill or scaup duck, widgeor

or bald-pate duck, gadwall or gray duck dusky or black duck, buille-headed or but ter-ball duck, pin or sprig-tail duck, ruddy or turkey-tail duck, or any other wild duck, between the first day of May and the first lay of Sepetmber in any year.

IDEA OF RECORDER DAVIS answer to a question from Major Lee as o whether he had issued canned beef to the Cuban refugees because our soldiers would ot eat it, replied: "We issued the canned beef to the Cubans because they preferred to cat it, and the bacon to our men because they preferred that. We were trying our best to give

lized and alleged to be chemically treated. thought it worth hearing. He presented himself to Colonel Davis, the recorder of ton, who was attached to General Fitzhugh the court, but was told that he would not Lee's staff as inspector general of the Sevbe wanted as a witness.

On being asked soon afterward whether had already been before the War Investi-Rundaa was to be called, or why he had gating commission and had made two very been rejected, Colonel Davis said; "I know nothing about the man. He has

on a uniform, but that is no proof that he is a soldier or has been. There are all He submitted to the court that these report. sorts of cranks and imposters who come up being accurately compiled from official data here and want to testify. As to this man, | would be better evidence than he could give if he can identify himself, and the court off-hand. directs me to call him, 1 will do so."

Counsel for General Miles will inquire into the antecedents of this witness, and, if he appears to be what he represents, he will be called. Colonel Gallagher, who was recalled, in

# "Things Ill Gotten Are Ill Spent."

This is true of the man whose physical condition has forced him to call upon his nerves to make good the depletion of the rest of his system. The overdrawn business man is overdrawn because he lacks proper capital. The capital of the physical man is pure, wholesome, lifegiving blood.

Make this capital for yourself and do not overdraw. The best blood-giving banker is Hood's Sarsaparilla. It lends and gives interest, too. You cannot beat that. If your physical bank account is low, see what this banker will do for you. It never disappoints.

Rheumatism-" A few bottles of Hood's Sarsaparilla entirely cured my sufferings from rheumatism. Later on it stopped dyspepsia from which I suffered intensely I can eat anything now." WM. A. BUCKLEY 344 Summer St., East Boston, Mass.

Scrofula-" When three months old our baby Roy was covered with itching and burning scrofula sores. The best physicians failed to relieve. Hood's Sarsaparilla saved his life as it made a permanent cure." Mks. LILLIE M. FISH, East Springport, Mich.

Stomach Trouble -" Two years suffering with stomach trouble made me weak, yun down, with severe headaches. Life was a burden to me until I took Hood's garsaparilla which cured me. It makes my children strong and healthy." MRS. M. Nach, 611 2d St., N. E., Minnespolis, Minn.

indigestion - "I now have a good apetite, eat well, sleep well and my dyspep-bla and indigestion have left me. The eason is I took Hood's Sarsaparilla which eatirely cured me. I am Baggage Master on the B. & O. Railrond." TROMAS COLES. 119 Carr St., Sandusky, Ohio.

Blood Poison - "At 12 I had bone dis-rase and used crutches. Doctor prescribed and wanted to scrape it. My grandfather gave me flood's Sarsepartilla. After taking four bottles I threw away crutches, am well and go to school." CHARLES CAMPBELL, 1816 Ontarlo Ave., Ningara Falls, N. Y.



Hood's Pills cure liver ills, the non-irritating and only cathartic to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla.

"What I said was that I had handled Rundas said he was on his way home, but 11,020,000 pounds of refrigerated beef at had stopped off in Washington to offer this Savannah without any complaint; the cominformation to the court of inquiry if it plaints were made at Jacksonville." Lieutenant Colonel Curtis Guild of Bos

cated in Murder of Sellers. TEKAMAH, Neb., March 4 .- (Special.)-After deliberation of twenty-four hours the jury in the trial of Calvin Hiscox for the

nurder of Fred Sellers returned a verdict enth Army corps, said in opening that he of not guilty. The jury stood eight for acquittal and four for manslaughter until a verdict of innocent was determined upon at careful reports on the subject, one by order 11 o'clock this morning. of Inspector General Breckinridge, both of

#### which are on file in the War department Flags for the First.

LINCOLN, Neb., March 4 .- (Special.)the battle flags of the First regiment having been preity well used up at Manila, the old flags of the regiment that were used

"We will, of course, call for your official during the Indian war of eight years ago eport to the War department." said Colonel were packed up today to be sent to the Davis, "but," he added very positively, regiment. The poles and hanners are being your testimony before the war commisent by express to San Francisco, where the government will take them in charge and sion will not be available for us."

Condemned 42,000 Pounds. feliver them to the regiment.

A cable message was received from Colonel Witness said that of the canned roast beef totsenberg today, addressed to the gove had unofficially condemned 42,000 pounds rhor. It sold: which had been transshipped from New "Wounded doing fine. Adam well, Poska )rleans before it was delivered to the army eturning home, consumption.

a Jacksonville. He explained that a large "STOTSENBERG." ipment of canned roast beef had arrived The Poska referred to is Albert Poska o Jacksonville in very offensive condition. Lincola, who enlisted in Company I.

e had picked out offensive smelling cases ounting to 42,000 pounds and called in Hastings Presbytery Meets. HASTINGS, Neb., March 4 .-- (Special.)ae Jacksonville health officer, who con-At a special meeting of the Hastings presmned it as a public nuisance, thus giving im the right to destroy it at once, in the bytery held in the First Presbyterian church this week. Rev. Moyer of Edgar ublic crematory.

was made moderator and Rev. Alvin M. Armour's agent, who was on the ground. Hendee of Hansen clerk. The special obiked leave to telegraph his home office and ject for which the meeting was called was uickly received word from his firm that o dissolve the pastorial relation existing bewould be very glad to take back the whole tween Rev. Crawford and the congregation ipment and furnish good beef in its place. at Aurora. This was promptly done, and This was done. The beef had been sent to Elder G. W. Curry was made moderator of New Orleans by Major West, the commisthe session at Aurora. sary officer there, but there was no stamp

r other means on the packages to tell by News from Blair. what army officer the beef had been in-BLAIR, Neb., March 4 .- (Special.)-Dispected and accepted. It was stamped by the rict court has been in session for the last ureau of Animal Industry. Witness had week with Judge Fawcett on the bench. The ubsequently made inspections of Texas beef most important suit was in regard to accilled in Cuba in the last few months. cretion of land on the Missourl river bot-

He had made chemical analyses and bac- tom in which Winchell holds the land on riological examinations of the canned roast | account of accretion. eef made in Cuba, and he had made per-The citizens are enthusiastic over the suconal comparisons between refrigerator beef. cess of Congressman Mercer in getting a native Cuban cattle and Texas boef killed postoffice building at Blair. Blair is in much need of one and it is generally agreed Cuba, which had and which had not

Removal of Vincenr Factory.

however, will remain here

been in cold storage. His experiments had by all that there will be no trouble in getting a good location. been made as fairly as possible with reference to practical conditions. His opinion Boid Thief Scores Failure. was that the best beef we could get in Cuba PLATTSMOUTH, Neb., March 4 .- (Spe was American cattle and refrigerated as near the spot it was to be used as possible dal.)-James Hodget drove in from Eight

#### "Deathly Smell."

team on Main street, where it was stolen Quartermaster Sergcant Sullivan of the by a stranger who met the owner as he was linth Massachusetts had been through the driving away. Hodget should to the thief antiago campaign and came to the stand to stop, but the latter used the whip and full of the memories of canned and refrigwas soon out of sight. Hodget went to the rated beef. The former, he said the men livery barn and securing a horse and a rearely tasted. The latter he started in to volver was soon in hot pursuit. A short escribe as a strange and gruesome article distance from the city he found the rig, alike anything he had ever seen. He said but the thief made his escape. t had a "deathly smell.

Here he collided with the recorder who usisted on having a strict definition of a Relatives and friends of the two injured deathly smell."

soldiers at Manila, Sergeant Earle Camp Witness got as far as saying that the and Private John Williams, are anxiously leathly smell" was different from the smell looking for an answer to their cablegram f a decomposing body, but here the recorder inquiring of their welfare. emanded a statement of the mechanism of Every house in the city is now occupied composition and a list of the gases which

and more houses are desired. could be evolved. The witness thereupon went to pieces and reduced his whole statement to saying, "the HASTINGS, Neb., March 4 - (Special) - A. beef was very bad," and on this refused B. Smith & Son of the Hastings vinegar

to be shaken. effnery and factory have just made it known The list of wiiness having been exhausted that they have decided to remove the vinegar the court adjourned to 10 o'clock Monday. works to Council Bluffs. The sorghum plant,

# Combine Buys Whisky Plant.

LOUISVILLE. March 4.-The Kentucky Distillers and Whisky company, the latest combine in the whisky world, iolar pur-chased the plant of the Mellwood distillery in this city. The price is secret, but is in Adams County Mortgauge Record. HASTINGS, Neb., March 4.-(Special.) The mortgage record for February is as follows: Farm mortgages filed, 35: amount the neighborhood of \$1,000,000.

ployes and each of them violating any of provisions of this section, shall acd guilty of a misdemeanor and on con

dction be fined \$25 for each and every such ported here that Isparhecher, principal chief nimal sold, exposed for sale, or so had in is, his or their possession or control and hall on conviction be fined \$5 for (ach and of the Creek Indians, is dead at Okmulgee. capital of the Creek nation. The rumor can every such bird so sold, exposed for sale, or so had in its, his or their possession or connot be verified. Okmulgee is quarantined on account of smallpox, which is epidemic trol. Part or parts of the carcasses of said there. Isparhecher is a full-blooded Creek animals or birds shall be held and consid-ered the same as the whole animal or bird Indian and for four years has been the principal chief of his people. Ever since he within the meaning of this section became a leader among the Creeks, Ispar-4-That section 86e be amended to

ead as follows: hecher has fought all legislation tending It shall be unlawful for any railroad comto change the tribal conditions in the ter sany, express company, common carrier, company or association, or the officers, igents, servants or employes of said comparitory and only recently he was practically forced into giving his consent to the negotiation of the treaty between his people nies or associations, and each of them and also any person or persons, their agents, and the Dawes complision. The sterling servants or employes, and each of them, to honesty and the indomitable will of the transport or receive for transportation, to convey or receive for conveyance, to carry or aged chief made him much respected, both among Indians and whites.

ceive for carriage, either as freight, expres-tatter or baggage, or to take and carry by ny means whatsoever, any of the animals o rds hereinbefore described in this act, cut this state at any time of the year. It cen Packwood, aged 93 years, died at his shall be unlawful for any railroad company horne in Lake township yesterday, Mr. Packwood was the oldest man in Monona spress company, common carrier, company association, or the officers, agents county, and had lived in Lake township for ervants or employes of said campanies or associations and each of them, to transport ver forty years. He has lived in Iowa since 1842, and had never taken medicine of any

or receive for transportation, to convey or for conveyance, to carry or receive kind until ten years ago, but since that time he has failed rapidly. Mr. Packwood for carriage, either as freight, express mater or baggage, or to take and carry, by any was married in 1825, and his aged wife sur vives him.

means whatsoever, any of the animals or birds hereinbefore described in this act, from one point or place, within this state to any point or place within this state at any time of the year. Any party or parties, vio-lating any of the provisions of this section BLAIR, Neb., March 4 .- (Special.)-The leath of Mrs. Margaret Stilltz occurred last

shall be deamed guilty of a misdemeanor and on conviction be fined \$25 for each of Wednesday night, after an illness of over a year. Mrs. Stiltz came to Calhoun in 1856 admiral of the navy should receive the pay such animals so transported, conveyed, carand has lived in this county ever since. and emoluments of the last general of the ried or taken, or received for transportation, Mrs. Stiltz was highly respected and her army. This legislation was supplemental to conveyance, carriage or taking out of this loss is deeply mourned. state or from one point or place within this state to any other point or place within this Well Known Tourist Agent.

state, at any time of the year and shall on conviction be fined \$5 for each of such birds LONDON, March 4 .- J. M. Cook, the head 000 is the regulation pay of an admiral of of the great tourist agency, is dead. He the navy. The extra \$1,500 is the allowance in transported, conveyed, carried or taken or received for transportation, conveyance, carriage or taking out of this state, or from never recovered from the illness which he | made to the general of the army of \$125 contracted while conducting the recent tour per month for quarters. one point or place within this state to anf Emperor William of Germany in Palestine. other point or place within this state, at any

time of the year. Part or parts of the car Barrister of Chicago. casses of such animals or birds shall be held and considered the same as the whole CHICAGO, March 4 .- Daniel L. Shoerey, one of the distinguished members of the animal or bird within the meaning of this

retior Thicago bar and for many years a leader The last section of the bill contains the in popular educational movements in this city, died today. emergency clause.

Bright Light at West Point.

WEST FOINT, Neb., March 4 .- (Special.)-A new 1,200-candle power electric are light was placed in Thompson Brothers' drug the newspaper business at Hampton, Ia., store Tuesday as an experiment. It is hedied here this evening of consumption. lieved that their general adoption in the

stores and public buildings of this city will Mile Grove Friday afternoon and tied his be a question of a very short time. A building boom will be inaugurated in this city as soon as the weather permits, Seven first-class residence houses will be built, all of them estimated to cost from

## Notes from Plattsmouth.

PLATTSMOUTH, Neb., March 4 .-- (Spe

al.)-The Woman's club met with Mrs. 8. H. Atwood Saturday afternoon and was Anxious Regarding Injured Soldiers. ivored with an address by Mrs. Heller of GENEVA, Neb., March 4 .- (Special.)-Omaha on "Self-Government.

\$1,500 to \$2,500 each

The mortgage record for February shows there were forty-eight mortgages filed, amounting to \$18,004.12, and that those released amounted to \$277,936.56.

Bond Signers Want Money Back. HASTINGS, Neb., March 4.-(Special.)-William H. Stock has filed suit in the district court asking for \$640 damages against John Shay for losing money on Shay's bond. Another similar suit was filed by Carl J. Miller, wherein he asks \$251.06 from Emil

Reach, Robert Wilson, W. E. Huston and James H. Foutch.

# Money for Manila Troops.

FRANCISCO, March 4 .- The trans-SAN ort Valencia, which is expected to sail for with descenating the grave of Michael Kelly Manila this afternoon, will carry in addition last fall, was dismissed by the state today, to 156 soldiers, stores and supplies, \$1,500,000 Charles Perry, the state's strongest witness, \$41,613.86; farm mortgages released, 52; to pay the troops now in the Philippines. , has disappeared

Chief of Creek Indians

and valuable feature of the house calendar This covers a recapitulation of the entire MUSKOGEE, I. T., March 4 .- It is re work and an appendix of over fifty pages giving the status of ever bill that has been reported to the house during the last two cars. Under the title "army" forty-two [ distinct measures are given. It presents at

a glance full information on all the house has done on any subject. The appendix, inlex, etc., were prepared by Tally Clerk Wakefield of the house staff.

DIMINISHES GLORY OF SHAFTER.

#### President is Denied Authority to Make Him Major General.

or authority to appoint one

purpose to give him at least this.

Wilson and Wood.

time. Missourl had a similar dispute with WASHINGTON, March 4 .- It was the pu Iowa several years ago and lost it in the ose of the president, had congress listened federal courts. avorably to his request to ap coint four additional major generals, to have KIPLING IS ON THE IMPROVE named Generals Fitzhugh Lee, Wheeler

additions

It was a bitter disappointment to the Way

opartment that the request of the presiden

najor general of regulars should have been

Per Year.

the passage of the bill. Its effect is to

give Admiral Dewey compensation at the

rate of \$14,500 a year. Of this amount \$13,

egatived. It was the purpose to name for

Passes a Quiet Night-One of His Children Recovering and the Other's Condition Unchanged.

NEW YORK, March 4 .- Mr. Kipling ssed a comfortable night, sleeping much hat honor General Shafter in order that he of the time and seeming to benefit by it. hight retire with the laurels he has won Elsie Kipling, the poet's 3-year-old daughter, The general must be retired by law on the also improved during the night. Josephine, 14th of the present month and must go out 5 years old, who is at the home of Mrs. with only a volunteer commission. It is the DeForest, underwent no change during the night.

PAY FOR ADMIRAL GEORGE DEWEY Among the messages received today at the Grenoble inquiring for Mr. Kipling was His Full Allowance Will Be \$11,500 one from Calcutta.

At 2:15 o'clock the following bulletin was WASHINGTON, March 4 .- In the last steld hours of congress it was provided that the

"Mr. Kipling's condition continues favorible. There is no material change since E. G. JANEWAY. yesterday.

THEODORE DUNHAM." Mr. Doubleday said that both the Kipling children were getting along nicely,

# HYMENEAL.

## Trio of Weddings.

WEST POINT, Neb., March 4.--(Special.)→ John Reifschneider and Miss Emma Stegel. man of Scribner were united in marriage in this city on Saturday by Rev. W. Tonat, Mr. Reifschneider is the Elkhorn section foreman at Scribner.

Judge Krake performed the ceremony yesterday which united Fritz Schmidt and Misa Mary Landerfield of Dodge and William Vogel of Pilger and Miss Minnle Page of Wisner precinct.

WILL KEEP IT.

Healthy Enough to Ent or Drink

What He Likes.

While I have an excellent constitution

and think nothing easily affects me, I

propose to keep it if possible.

gram.)--Martin Butler, recently engaged in ter at Seattle, Wash.

The president has signed all the appro-Ex-Congressman Sprague. vitation bills, with the exception of the District of Columbia. His signature was also affixed to the omnibus claims bill.

Death Report from Brooke.

ing death report: March 2, Santa Clara, Private Benjamin H. Davis, Company E. First Michigan, heart failure, following

WASHINGTON, March 4 .- Secretary inquirer from Morgantown, W. Va., says Fire was started by an explosion in Mechanical hall, of the West Virginia univerfirmation as a brevet major general sity, and burned the building to the ground. Loss, \$52,000, including Prof. Aldrist's pergratulations.<sup>4</sup>

Grave Descerater is Discharged. KANSAS CITY, March 4 .- The case against Dr. B. C. Hyde, a dean in the Kansas City Homeopathic Medical college, charging him

Admiral Dewey holds the highest rank in the military service of the United States, army or navy, and ranks with the highest officers in the principal foreign navies. Final Confirmations. WASHINGTON, March 4 .- The senate has confirmed the nomination of Walter Evans

o be district judge in Kentucky, also that of W. R. Merriam to be director of the census, and George M: Stewart, to be postmas-

The senate also confirmed the marine orps nominations made today.

WASHINGTON, March 4 .-- General Brooke has cabled the War department the follow-

I have observed for years the great number of people who complain of the bad effect. of coffee, and while I can drink coffee or dengue fever; First Lieutenant James Wood, almost anything 1 want, without trouble, assistant surgeon Two Hundred and Twentysecond New York, died at 3 p. m. today-

Alger today received the following cablegram from Major General Olis at Manila, in eknowledgment of the secretary's congratulations sent him yesterday on his con-"Sincere thanks for recognition and con-

Approved by, the President WASHINGTON, March 4 .- The president

has approved the following bills: The several appropriation bills, omnibus claims, Washington library, providing a code of riminal laws for Alaska, authorizing the uses is the abandonment of coffee and the onstruction of a bridge over the Tennessee use of Postum. F. W. Bland, 705 Collinsriver at or near Sheffield, authorizing the ville Ave., East St. Louis, Ill.

The fire started from electrical apparatus March 3-in military hospital No. 2, Havana, used to heat the irons in the pressing room. of pernicious malaria. Two hundred operatives are thrown out of Otis Bows His Thunks. Loss to West Virginia University. CINCINNATI, March 4 .- A special to the

it is nevertheless true that we do not use ordinary coffee at our house, but for many

months have been using Postum Food Cof-We find it every way preferable to fee. imported coffee.

We make it strictly according to direcs, tions, for we found out early that it could made to laste very flat when underbolled, but as we make it now; to use a

glang phrase, "It hits the spit." I drink it three times a day. I enclose a list of friends who are regu-lar users of the Postum Food Coffee.

In our family we believe that good health can be used to advantage in doing business or prosecuting professional work, and we propose to keep all the good health we have, if such a thing is possible, and we think one of the most important meas-

M'CONNELLSVILLE, O., March 4 .- Hon. W. P. Sprague, ex-congressman, is dead from blood-poisoning. FIRE RECORD.

Martin Butler.

ATLANTIC, Ia., March 4 .- (Special Tele-

Large Clothing Manufactory. ALLIANCE, O., March 4 .- Fire last night estroyed the large buildings occupied by the Alliance company, manufacturers of lothing. Loss. \$30,000; insurance, \$42,000;

employment.

sonal loss of \$2,000.